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HE WAS BOSS.

An old negro, known as Foxy Jim, so

well understood the art of working to

bought a comfortable house, furnished

it suitably and settled down to enjoy

himself. His wife had died while he

was still a hard worker, and he had no

children save a daughter, whom he had

"Father," the daughter one day re-

marked, "you think a great deal of me,

no gentle manner, that she was able to

take care of herself. In other ways, too, she aggravated her father, insisting that he should occupy the most ill-furnished room in the house, and al-

ways, upon his entering the gate, yell-

oright, doan kere ef I is ole."
"Look out there!" she stormed.

"You have spit on the floor."
"Oh, is dat de matter?"

"My goodness, is not that enough?"
"Wall, I didn' know."

"But it is, and I want you to under-

She kissed him and with a joyous

dat I'll stay in heah arter dis. Er haw,

haw, sorter doan know whut ter say. Oh, I'se de boss, boss o' dis heah house,

sho'. Yer ken git out jes ez soon ez yer pleases—ken marry one o' dem triflin niggers ef yer wanster. Er haw, haw,"

THE RECONCILIATION.

"Can you forgive me?" she mur-

nured in a low voice, as they hoisted

their combined weight of three hun-

dred and ten pounds onto the front

The watch dog bayed fiercely at the

moon as it came up from behind a cloud

(that is, the moon came up, etc.) but Augustus heeded it not. He knew that

the dog was chained and he was on the

but he did not move. He seemed t

think he had a perpetual lease on the

Big, bitter, briny tears dropped on the pavement at her feet. She heeded them

"Remember, I am not to blame for

what pa does. 'Twas he that loosed

say you do not hate me."
"I do not hate you," he repeated me

chanically, then arousing himself-"but

will tell you candidly that I've got it

n for your dad and the bull pup.'P

It started at about nine p. m. and lasted

until her sire capie out with a lanter

to hunt them up.-Merchant Traveler

HE FELT HURT.

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"See here," said a Wayne County

farmer, as he entered a Griswold street

restaurant the other day, "I don't like

"What's wrong," asked the restau

"Last March I bought a can of oyster

"When I took it home my wife sug

gested that we put it away down cellar for Fourth of July. When we opened it on the glorious Fourth——"

"Yes, you'd have said great Scotts and

little Scotts and all other sorts of Scotts

You said they were fresh oysters, and I took your word for it and paid you forty

The restauranter counted out forty

ents, placed the change in the man'

"Thankee." said the farmer, as h

backed out, "you are a square man, and I told my wife that you were prob-

ably deceived in the oysters yourself.

One of my neighbors said he smelt 'em

-The English census returns show

that while in 1861 only 1,931 women

were employed in the civil service of

that country, the number has risen in

seven miles down the road. Thankee-

this is k'rect."-Detroit Free Press.

hand, and motioned him to go out.

the way I have been used."

"Yes, I remember."

cents in cash."

Indignant Countryman Made

the bull-dog yester night-not L."

"Why did you not tell me?"

"Whut's de matter?"

"Dat I does, child; dat I does."

"You are getting old, father."

en carefully educated.

don't you?"

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General News Summary. Interesting Home and Foreign News.

CONCRESSIONAL. SENATE, July 27.-Mr. Allison, from the Committee on Finance, reported back the House joint resolution directing payment of

ber 14.

turned to work on the 2d. It is understoo

More than one hundred unions belonging

to the Central Labor Union of New York,

A Worcester (Mass.) dispatch says that

James Baillie Hamilton, of that city, will be married some time during this mouth at

Westminster Abbey to Lady Evelyn Camp-

bell, fourth daughter of the Duke of Argyle

While Sebastian Fiedarleain was at

tempting to escape through a window

from a burning building in New York City

on the 30th ult., the sash came down and

held him so firmly that escape was impos-

WEST AND SOUTH.

The trial of young Willie Sells, at Eric

Kan., charged with the murder of his

father, mother, brother and sister, ended

on the 27th with a verdict of guilty of mur-

der in the first degree. The prisoner be-

trayed no emotion at the result.

Notwithstanding severe droughts in many

ections of Texas, the crops throughout the

State are reported better than last year.
At New Albany, Ind., on the 27th Prof. J.

C. Strunk shot and killed Charles Hoover and seriously wounded his father. Dr.

had been too intimate with Strunk's wife

At Louisville on the 27th John Koehler

Treasurer Frederick Turner has issued a

call for the General Convention of the

Knights of Labor to be held in Richmond.

wonderful growth of the order, Mr. Turner

says that since April 1, 1886, over 2,500 new

assemblies have been formed, showing an

Charles Engle, alias Charles Warner,

and Berkeley counties is covered with

water. The rice is all under water and is

in most cases totally destroyed. The loss

will be terrible and much suffering among the negro laborers has resulted. Samuel Fulham's saw mill and shingle

mill at Gowen, Mich., together with forty

million feet of lumber and ten million

s professor in a medical college.

prompted by jealousy.

at Chicago on the 27th.

sible and he burned to death.

in Thompson, Conn.

the surplus in the treasury on the public sebt, with an amendment, and it was placed on the calendar. Three of the vetoed pension bils were reported back by the Committee on Pensions, with recommendations that they pass, notwithstanding the President's objections: they were placed on the calendar. The Senate then went into secret session, and when the doors reopened adjourned. calendar. The Senate then went into secret session, and when the doors reopened adjourned.

House,—Mr. Will's, of Kentucky, from the conference committee on the River and Harbor Appropriation bill, reported a continued desgreement. The House still insisted on its desagreements to the Senate amendments, and a further conference was ordered. The House then resumed consideration of the Pacific Land Forfeiture bill. Mr. Payson concluded his speech in favor of the House suistitute, when the previous question was ordered and the substitute was agreed to yeas 171, nays 65. The Senate bill as thus amended was then passed—yeas 185, nays 48—and a request for a conference was made. The Inter-State Commerce bill was then taken up, but without action on the measure the House adjourned.

Senate, July 28.—Mr. McMillan, from the

conference committee on the River and Har-bor bill, reported that the committee had few days ago buried in cigar boxes under

conference committee on the River and Harbor bill, reported that the committee had been unable to agree. The Chair thereupon la'd before the Senate a message from the House to the effect that it had instructed its conferees to ins at on striking from the bill the items as to Poriage Lake & Lake Superior Ship Canal, the Lake Michigan & Hennep'n Canal, the Mississippi River improvements at a resolution was adopted that the Senate in sist on its amendments and agree to the conference asked for. The Senate then took up the Fortification bill. The bill as it came from the House appropriated \$620,000. The Senate adds \$6,010,000 to that amount, in accordance with the recommendations of the Ordinance and Gun Foundry Boards, regarding the manufacture of heavy guns. After debate most of the amendments were agreed to and the bill passed. The "surplus" jo'nt resolution was then taken up and debated until adjournment.

House.—Mr. Holman submitted the conference report on the Legislative Appropriation bill and it was agreed to. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Senate amendments to the Sundry Civil Appropriations, and the committee rose and reported the bill and amendments were concurred in, or non-concurred in according to the recommendation of the Committee on Appropriations, and the committee rose and reported the bill and amendments to the House. The House then ratified the action of the Committee of the Whole and a conference was ordered. Adjourned.

Senate, July 29.—The Chair laid before the Senate the preclamation of the Governor of

SENATE, July 29 .- The Chair laid before the

Senate the proclamation of the Governor of Utah relative to the violation of the marriage Utah relative to the violation of the marriage laws in that Territory; referred. A resolution offered by Mr. Cullom, authorizing the Committee on Expenditure of Public Money to sit during the recess and continue the investigation of the Pension Bureau business, was placed on the calendar. The Senate then took up the House Joint resolution to apply the surplus in the Treasury to payment of the public debt. A long discussion followed, participated in by Messrs Allison, Beck, Sherman, Vest, Jones and others, but without reaching a conclusion the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned. House, The House bill appropriating \$50.000 for the erection of a public building in Jefferson, Tex., was passed. The veto message on the bill granting a pens on to Andrew J. Wilson was called up and the House refused—yeas 105, nays 86—to pass the bill over the veto—the constitutional two-thirds not voting in the affirmative. At the evening session a number of private b lis were passed.

Senate, July 30.—The Senate resumed con-SENATE, July 30 .- The Senate resumed conhim. Office-Harbaugh's corner north Barron street, opposite the Post office,

SENATE, July 30.—The Senate resulted consideration of the House joint resolution directing the payment of the Surplus in the Affect of the House joint resolution directing the payment of the Surplus in the Affect of the House joint resolution directing the payment of the Surplus in the Treasury on the public debt. After debate an amendment offered by Mr. Edmunds was agreed to, substituting the President for the Scoretary of the Treasury, so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury to substituting the President for the Scoretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury to substituting the President for the Scoretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury to substituting the President for the Scoretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in the Affect the Secretary of the Treasury so that it will read: "When, in the opinion of the President for the Surplus in t

the total appropriation for deficiencies

ate on the 29th ult. were the following: George A. Jenks, of Pennsylvania, to be

be Receiver of Public Moneys at East Sag-inaw, Mich.; Thomas B. Davis, to be Re-

eiver of Public Moneys at Lincoln, Neb.

Public Printer Rounds tendered his resignation to the President on the 30th ult.

Presidential nominations on the 30th ult: Cornelius C. Watts to be United States

ttorney for the District of West Virginia;

Dabner H. Maury, of Virginia, to be En-

voy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipo-tentiary of the United States to the United

States of Colombia; Mahlon D. Manson, to

be Collector of Internal Revenue for the

Secretary of War Endicott has approved

army post at Highwood, twenty-five miles

from Chicago. Senators Edmunds, Frye, Evarts, Mor-

an and Saulsbury have been designated

New England and other ports during the Congressional recess to investigate every phase of the fisheries difficulties and com-

lications, and report at the next session.

THE EAST.

John Revere, President of the Revere Copper Company of Boston, died on the 37th. He was a grandson of Paul Revere.

At Millerstown, Pa., on the 27th Pete

Rattigan, postmaster of the village and

ditor of the local paper, was publicly

horsewhipped on the 27th by ten or twelve leading women of the Royal Templars of

ping.

The semi-annual report of the American

ron and Steel Association shows a highly

luction of pig iron in the first half of 1886

was 2,954,200 tons of 2,000 pounds, or 2,637,-

687 tons of 2,240 pounds. The country has never before produced so much pig iron in

The Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette reached

the hundredth year of its existence on the

28th uit. It was the first paper published

west of the Alleghanies.

satisfactory condition of affairs. The pro-

\$7,807,158.

shingles, burned on the 2sth ult. Loss \$200,000, on which there was \$150,000 intersburg, W. Va., on the 28th ult., attended by three hundred delegates, a resolution was adopted favoring the submission of a WASHINGTON.

tion on the 28th ult. placed in nomination Postmaster General Vilas has approved a new design for postal cards. They are to be printed in black on white paper with a the following State ticket: Governor, head of Jefferson on the upper corner. The State, N. C. Barnett; State Treasurer, Robert U. Hardeman; Comptroller, General W. A. Wright; Attorney General, Clif-

ford Anderson.

Judge Constant Bryan, one of the oldest now in use.

The Deficiency Appropriation bill as passed by the Senate shows an increase of \$1,893,195 over the aggregate appropriation made by the House bill, making members of the Summit County (O.) bar and formerly probate judge of that county, died at Akron on the 28th ult., aged seven

Colonel Nelson Plato, formerly Collector of Customs at Corpus Christi. Tex., who was convicted and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for embezzlement while in office, has been pardoned by the Presi-

The Republican members of the California Legislature, in caucus on the 28th ult., resolved to elect at the present extra ession a United States Senator. Near Lawrence, Kan., on the 28th ult., John Pierson, a wealthy Swedish farmer, shot his wife and then put a bullet through his own brains. The woman was not

fatally injured. Pierson left papers stating that the bad temper of his wife made living together impossible and had driven The jury in the case of John Tosney, charged with the election forgeries in precinct A, Fourth ward, Cincinnati, on the General Sheridan's plan of establishing an 28th ult. rendered a verdict of guilty. A

like verdict was also rendered in the cases of John Miner and Patrick Kelley, judges of election in precinct F, of the Nineteenth ward. Sentence was deferred.

The liabilities of the Charles W. Allen Company, of Chicago, manufacturers of tobacco, who suspended a few days ago, are estimated at \$300,000. Assets about \$200,000. The failure is due to shrinkage in

values and to the effects of the inbor ormed, headed by E. H. Taylor, of Frankfort, Kv., and Senior & Son, of Cincinnati, o corner the Bourbon whisky market. It roposes to buy all the whisky of the years 1879 to 1883, inclusive. The deal is made ossible by the heavy importation of

which to escape the tax. Fred L. Tyler was killed and three worknen seriously injured by the explosion of a boiler in the plating works at Galesburg, Ill., on the 29th ult. The building and machinery were wrecked and the boiler hurled a distance of one hundred fast

The boiler of a sawmill located at Tehn lua, Miss., exploded on the 25th ult., killing six persons and injuring several others Among the injured was Colonel Graves, owner of the mill.

Judge David Johnson died at Jackson. Mich., on the 29th ult. of blood poisoning. He was seventy-seven years of age, and had been prominently connected with Michigan affairs during nearly half a cen-

at her home in Evensville, Ind., on the 20th | loor, on the lat. Slander by Walter is William H. Foster, secretary of the Na- ul's, of hydrophobia. Her symptoms were charged, tional Federation of Trades Unions, and frightful to beheld, and six men were re-

also secretary of the Philadelphia Central | quanted at times to hold her. She was bitten several days ago by a dog, which has since been killed.

All the prisoners in the county jail at Labor Union, died at Philadelphia on the

ted States Sanitary and Christian Commis-sions was inaugurated at Pittsburgh on the 29th uit. Delegates were present from on the night of the 25th ult. by digging a hole through the wall with a butcher-knife, all sections of the country.

The New Hampshire Republican State

tured.
While gathering berries with several Convention will meet in Concord, Septemother ladies near Oakland, Ill., on the 29th The bolt and nut departments of the Elb Iron Works at Pittsburgh were burned on the 29th ult., entailing a loss of \$25,000, covered by insurance. The buildings will bitten, swelled to enormous proportions

be immediately rebuilt.

A man believed to be Orrio Sperry, the before death ensued. Ferdinand Steinmetz and wife and child defaulting Treasurer of Chautauqua Counwere drowned near Nebraska City, Neb., ty, N. Y., was arrested in Allegheny City, Pa., on the 20th ult., while begging. On his river. They were riding after a team of person was found over \$5,00) in bonds, conmules which became frightened at a wet and the people are satisfied. siderable cash, letters from prominent men spot on the bridge and jumped into the and addresses of all the large banks and bankers in the country. Sperry disap-peared in 1884 with \$80,000. river thirty feet below. The examination of the Missouri Pacific

The strike of the employes of the Americoncluded on the 30th ult., and all were can Tube and Iron Company at Middletown, Ra., has been declared off and the men rebound over without bail to the District Court now in session. The prisoners were taken to the Wyandotte jail. The flouring mills of Buck & Hoff, in Manchester, Va., burned on the 30th ult. and the Old Dominion cotton mills were partially destroyed. Loss, \$95,000; insur-

> After stubbornly holding out for higher wages for nearly twenty weeks, the five hundred miners at Dubois, Pa., have acknowledged defeat and decided to return to work at the operators' terms. Four hundred miners at the Hampton & Duquesne coal works, near Pittsburgh, struck on the 30th ult. against a reduction in wages of

> Henry K. McCoy, Judge of the United States Court for the Northern district of Georgia, died at Atlanta on the 30th ult. The commission appointed by Governor Foraker, of Ohio, to select a site for and superintend the erection of a Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, has selected Sandusky as

the site for the proposed home.

By the giving way of a bridge over the Wabash river at Bluffton, Ind., on the 30th ult. the engine, tender and three cars of a west-bound freight train on the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City railroad fell into the river a distance of thirty feet. Brakeman A. L. Porter, who was on the engine was instantly killed. Engineer Sipple Conductor Fauckbone and Fireman Williams were terribly bruised and scalded by

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Hoover. It is charged that young Hoover An Amsterdam dispatch says it is be-Dr. Hoover is a well known physician and eighty wounded in the recent riots caused by the police preventing the "eel killing games." The wounded include no less baker, shot and killed John Carter, a lisher, and mortally wounded Peter than forty-two policemen and soldiers.

At Montreal, Can., on the 27th the pal-Haupt, a bricklayer. The deed was lium was conferred upon Archbishop Fabre by Cardinal Taschereau amid great

pomp and ceremony. There was an attendance of about 17,000. A dispatch from Madras, India, states that the theater at Tinnevelly, a town in that presidency, was burned on the night of the 28th ult., with enormous loss of life.

Major R. E. Fleming, one of the Railmany wounded. road Commissioners of Dakota, estimates Advices received at St. Johns, N. F., on that the recent storm in North Dakota dethe 28th ult. from White Bay, report that stroyed about a million and a haif bushels a large number of Arctic bears, driven south by starvation, have crossed over from Penny Land and are devastating the alias George Engle, a dangerous profescountry. The bears number one thousand, and have appeared at Cape Mugford. The sional burglar, whose depredations have extended all over the country, was arrested dead companions. Those who die among the white settlers are buried secretly to Reports from the rice fields along the

keep the Esquimaux from getting their the whole country for miles on each side of the river in Williamaburg, Georgetown The balloon "Torpilleur," which is fitted with a patent steering and propelling apparatus, and having on board L'Hoste the seronaut and Mangot the astronomer, made a successful aerial trip from Cherbourg, France, to London, England, on the 30th

Count Rylandt Phaydt the Imperial Minister of War, has issued an order for-bidding the presence of both native and foreign newspaper correspondents at the

young girl who figured so conspicuously in the Pall Mall Gazette exposures, have arranged to bring suit for \$40,000 damages against Mr. Stead, the then editor of the Gazette, its publishers, and General Booth, of the Salvation Army. The claim will be for libel on the girl's parents and fer as-

LATER NEWS Mas. CLEVELAND joined the First Presby-terian Church at Washington on the 1st.

THIRTY militiamen were prostrated by heat in the sham battle at Lafayette, Inc One died the next day and several are in a

MARY BERDEN, aged sixteen, suicided at Ellicottsville, N. Y., by taking poison. LYMAN BERRY, residing east of Kent, O. HENRY LAGUE, Holyoke, Mass., tried un-

JOHNSON CHAPMAN and his wife, of Conewango, N. Y., died from black erysipelas, and their son is also in a critical con

lin, Mo., by Ed Brown. The latter had been accused of stealing harness, and while Saunders was searching Brown's wagon for the property he was shot through THE market train on the Lebanon Val-

ley railroad was wrecked near Derry, Pa., on the 1st, by a washout. The train of the passenger cars and the locomotive were thrown down a sixty-foot embankment. Engineer Stanton was killed and the fire man had both legs broken. St. Louis business men represent that

city as having recovered from the ill effects of the great railroad strike and other depressing influences. SOLOMON MEYER, an insurance agent was shot by burglars at his home in St. fatal.

about excessive drunkenness in Congress. "A great majority of Senators and members," it says, "do not drink at all, and very few of them, comparatively, drink to excess. There are half a dozen or so Conressmen who indulge more freely than they ought to in intoxicating liquors, and are occasionally seen under the influence of

GENERAL GORDON'S candidacy for Govrnor of Georgia will not be opposed by the Independents or Republicans MISS JANE MCARTHUR, a cattle rancher on Upper Sun river, Montana, plunged into the river and saved Judge Armstrong's wife, young son and daughter from drowning. Returning to save the Judge's sister. the heroine was drowned.

Serious trouble among the Hocking Val-

a scheme to blow up with dynamite the mines at Arbiston, where machinery is employed. Anarchists have been in the valley teaching their doctrines.

Dr. Dinke Walter, well-known Indian apolis druggist, was cowhided by Wm. Reger, at the German Lutheran Church

THE RIGHT OF VETO. Careless Legislation-land's Wise Use of It.

When the first constitution of Ohio was formed no veto was given to the lovernor, and this is about the only State where he does not sign bills passed by the Legislature. In 1802 the Jefferson party had a majority in the snake. She was placed in a wagon and convention to form our organic law, started for her home, but before arriving and, being jealous of executive encroachment, they denied him all participation in the business of legislation, and, after an experiment of fifty years, the framers of our present con-stitution retained the old provision No serious consequences have resulted qualified veto given to the President in the Federal constitution has, as a rule, been wisely and judiciously exercised.
It enables the Executive to interpose to
prevent violations of the organic law,
check hasty and ill-advised legislation and protect his prerogative from legis-lative encroachment. After returning a bill with his objections, a majority of two-thirds in each branch of Congress can make it a law without his consent His power is not absolute, but quali

ied, and hence not dangerous.

President Jackson, and subsequently President Tyler, vetoed acts of Con-gress to establish a national bank. They were violently and vehemently denounced at the time, but their inter position of executive authority has been accepted and approved by the people. They were content to wait for the sober second thought of the intelligent patriotic masses to approve their action. President Hayes the bill remonetizing silver, and it was very promptly passed over his veto. In the last day of his official life he vetoed the act providing for the re-funding the national debt at a lower nterest. The next Congress reenacted the law, and it was approved by the President.

The greater virtue in the veto power is that it gives the President authority to check hasty and ill-advised legislation, and our present Executive has popular-ized this constitutional provision as it never has been before. He has been styled the veto President. His brief messages returning pension and appro-priation bills to Congress without his approval met with the warmest comapproval met with the warmest com-mendation of the people. Presidents heretofore have usually approved such acts of Congress as a matter of course. President Cleveland signs nothing without an examination. If a bill does not challenge his approval, he re-fuses his signature and briefly and clearly gives his reasons. He is aware clearly gives his reasons. He is aware of the fact that on "private bill day" in Congress only those attend who have cases to be considered, and that "you vote for mine and I will vote for yours" is sufficient to secure the passage of both without regard to merit. While he wishes every person who is entitled to a pension to have it, he is

determined to prevent dishonest raids upon the treasury. The objections to making appropriations for constructing post-offices where convenient and suitable accommodations can be had at an expense Government building after it is erected will be warmly indorsed by the people. Tax-payers feel that they have a President who will do his duty without fea

or favor. Many justify these appropriations in order to empty the treasury of its large surplus. The Democratic doctrine is that there should be no surplus in the treasury, that taxes should be reduced so that only enough money be taken from the pockets of the people for an economical administration of the Gov-ernment. If public buildings are constructed in all places like Zansville and Dayton the money required to keep them in order will make high tax levies necessary in all future time. and repudiates the Republican doctrine that high taxes make the people prosperous, and the larger the appropriaions the better for the country. He is daily growing in favor with the people. He will make the veto power very popular if he continues his good work. -Cincinnati Enquirer.

Cleared by a Republican.

The following is a report made by Senator Hoar to the Committee on Privileges and Elections upon the material submitted by the Ohio Legislature in the Payne case, which material Mr. Hoar as a committeeman examined and analyzed:

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"I have examined the evidence forwarded by the House of Representatives of Ohio. The investigation was under a resolution directing an inquiry as to the charges that four members of the present Legislature, being also members of the last, were guilty of being induced by corrupt means to vote for Mr. Payne. These charges were not sustained and the committee so report. But the inquiry took a wider range. There was evidence tending to show that Mr. Payne's name was not publicly suggested as a candidate for Senator until after the State election; that it was not very prominently suggested until was not publicly suggested as a candidate for Senator until after the State election; that it was not very prominently suggested until shortly before his election in January; that many persons who had been supposed to favor Pendieton voted for Payne; that there was a widespread belief that corrupt means were used to procure the result; that one member was offered a large sum of money for his vote; that there were hearsay statements charging corruption as to several others; that two members of the Legislature received large sums of money about the time of the election, of which being called as witnesses they gave no satisfactory account; that the principal managers of Mr. Payne's canvasa, Paige, McLean, Huntington and Oliver H. Payne, did not testify before the committee. But there is no evidence tending to show the bribery of any member unless as above stated; there is no evidence to connect Mr. Payne, the sitting member, with these transactions, and none tending to show that the result was changed or affected by such means."—Chicago Inter Ocean (Rep.).

Rule in the Household.

It is to be expected that parents will do their duty to their children, and so very few commands to parents are found until Paul bids them not to provoke their children to wrath. But it is not so much to be expected that chil-dren will naturally be obedient to their Little and Butterworth, and the wild dren will naturally be obedient to their parents. So the duty of obedience of tomtoms of the one hundred Republicchildren is put even into the Decalogue

"Honor thy father and thy mother" and the New Testament repeats it,

and declares that its promise of long life makes it the first commandment with promise. We don't remember any command in the Bible for parents to obey their children; and yet, if the public impression does not err, there are a great many cases nowadays in which the order is reversed, and it is hundred Republican editors of Ohio the child that orders the parents about, should make the State resound with ley (O.) miners is apprehended. There was and rules the household. If children do not obey it is the parents' fault. Logan—false Senators and recreant They should have begun before the child could talk, and taught it that its bub wild' in Buckeyedom for nine whims are not to be respected, that its crying will not force submission, but that it is the subordinate and must do to the Union; Senator Sherman will

THE AUTOGRAPH RAGE.

The small boy with the autograph album is a prominent and busy figure about the capitol now. The rage for authographs, it seems, will never cease. Great people from the President down through the various grades of public life are constantly pestered for their autographs. Every day the visitor to the White House may see a pile of letters upon the desk of one of the prisecretaries with the abreviation "suto" written upon each envel-ope. It means that they contain requests for autographs. The num-ber of these letters received at the White House in a year may be counted by thousands. Those that come now. ontain not only a request for the Pres ident's autograph, but some of them ask for that of his bride. These latter requests are seldom complied with, for while the President has thought it prop-er to yield to the demand for accurate

ortraits of Mrs. Cleveland, and has portraits of Mrs. Cleveland, and has consented to their sale under certain restrictions, it has not been thought advisable to encourage the public in a miscellaneous demand for autographs. The President continues, however, to give a few minutes occasionally to gratifying the requests of the many applicants for this class of favors. The President of the president is a model of the president in the president in the president is a model of the president in the pre cants for this class of favors. The President is a good deal of a philosopher, and after entering the White House decided that he could do more to grant personal pleasure to a large number of people in a brief space of time by receiving those who called to pay their respects, and writing his autograph for those desiring them, than in any other manner; and while he does not particularly ennd while he does not particularly en joy this sort of thing he submits grace fully. So the hand-shaker and auto fully. So the hand-snaker and and graph fiends are generally successful in their raids upon the President. Not in their raids upon the president. that anybody can march up to him at any time and successfully demand his autograph, but that the reasonable re-quests received by mail are generally responded to. Usually these letters are laid away until a pretty good lot of them accumulates, and until the President has time to attend to them. Charley Lefler, the President's usher, is the autograph hunter's friend. The letters are turned over to him, and when he can catch the President with a moment of time to spare he lays to a bundle of cards before him, and he writes "Grover Cleveland, Grover Cleveland" until his arm gets tired or his other and more important duties take his attention. Then Charley takes

DEMOCRATIC DROPS.

"I am glad you understand me."
"By de way, honey, wish yer'd git
me dat will. I wanter hab dat lot
added in." The more the private pension bills are examined, the worse they ook.—Providence Journal (Rep.). flounce ran and brought the will. He took the paper, tore it into shreds, spit on the floor, and said: "Yas, old mouf -The Blaine organs are still try-

ing to stick knives into General Logan. Such are the sweet phases of Republican harmony.—Cincinnati Enquirer. Extravagance Blair's attempt to act as the whole Senate Committee on Pensions is one more illustration of his unrivaled genius for self-asinification.

—Buffalo Times.

-Messrs. Edmunds, Logan, Sherman and Evarts constitute a very dismal group of Presidential aspirants. They are like a man who, with his nose flattened against the window-pane, eers wistfully out and sees nothing but log.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The failure of General Logan to stem the tide which turned sometime ago in favor of General Fitz John Porter marks another stage in the down-ward course of the "bloody shirt." In another campaign it will be valueless as a political factor.—New Haven Reg-

-The President has given evidence that he is not practiced in double-deal-ing or deceit, and that he means what he says. If he shall succeed in effect-ing an actual and final divorce between the offices and machine politics, he will be entitled to the appellation of a real reformer. — Chicago Journal (Rep.).

-Senator Dawes, of Massachusetts, is the par excellence champion of the red man. But when the President by a veto undertakes to preserve the red man's land from being gobbled by a railroad corporation, Dawes' Sen-atorial worship of corporations and his partisan dislike of the President are too much for him and he sacrifices his Inlian proteges without a scruple. - Deroit Free Press.

—It is quite plain that Woodpulp Miller, the so-called Senator from New York, will have very hard work in securing pledges from candidates for the York Tribune is opposed to his re-election and says: "He is the champion of a great swindle in the Senate, which is not for the benefit of New York or any interest of New York." But no man who is entitled to an opinion is disappointed with the figure Miller has cut in national politics. The poor felow might have done well it sembly, but when he went to the United States Senate he was over his

The Probable Ohio Programme. It must have been a weak array of

facts indeed that would not demand of three such stalwart partisans as Senators Teller. Evarts and Logan an investigation in the interest of Ohio Republicans and general party capital. But the proofs submitted for their consideration were too flimsy, and, despite the appeal of Senator Sherman, an editors of Ohio, these three Senators had to join four Democrats in dismissing the charges of Editor Donavin from the consideration of the Senate. It is now in order for M. Halstead to

make the evening sky lurid with the hot breath of his fiery indignation. From the Western Reserve to the slums of Hamilton County the one denunciations of Teller, Evarts and as it is told. The parent who abdicates his authority insures a miserable household, and ruins his childs —N. Y. Independent.

The Gaton Democrat

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL

-Mr. Spurgeon's tabernacle, London, has now a membership of 5,214. —The average yearly expenses of this year's graduating class at Yale College were \$960. The largest sum spent by any man in a year was \$2,750, and the smallest \$150.

—Sixteen young women, graduates of the Winona Normal School, Minn., are now teaching in the Argentine Confed-eration at salaries ranging from \$1,500 to \$2,500 a year.

—Rev. D. L. Moody has opened a summer school for the study of the Bible at Northfield, Mass. It will be attended by 225 students from leading colleges in this country and Canada.

-The prevalence of dress coats in the "Yas, natur is lay n' her han' on me daytime at Amherst commencement led a small son of one of the alumni, enjoy-Don't you think you ought to make ing his first visit to the college, to ex-claim: "What lots of head-waiters they have here!"—Boston Herald. your will? If you were to die, some-body might beat me out of this prop-"Yer's right honey, sho's yer born'd -It is said that there are at present

at the various German universities no fewer than 157 professors between the ages of seventy and ninety. Of these 122 deliver their lectures as usual. The oldest is the veteran Elvenica, who is now in his ninetiath year. er is. I'll go right er way now an' git lawyer ter draw up de papers." The will, leaving the property to the girl, having been duly drawn up, was given to her. After this her affection for the old man did not appear to be so strong, and she began to "keep com-pany" with young men with whom he had forbidden her to associate, but when he remonstrated with her she hinted, in -Mention is made in the Church

Union of a reckless seeding and consequent sad harvest: "A family have sown to the flesh and planted infidelity in the minds and hearts of their children, and are now surprised at the fruit

—There are 42 Protestant church edifices in New Mexico, belonging to the different denominations as follows: Methferent denominations as follows: Methodist Episcopal, 16; Methodist Episcopal South, 7; Presbyterian, 12; Protestant Episcopal, 3; Baptist, 2. Thus in a territory covering an area of 122,480 square miles—larger than all the New England States with New York added—with a population of 189,000, there are but 45 Protestant church edifices.—Christian Union ing at him to wipe his feet.

One evening the girl, returning from a visit, found the old man sitting in the "W'y, what are you doing in here?"
"Wall, honey, I got sorter tired o'
tayin' in yander. Likes suthin' dat's

—A story of a country parson's independence will be appreciated by those annoyed at late comers to church. A man came into church late and started, with squeaky boots, to walk the whole length of the side gallery. The pastor, who was praying, stopped suddenly, opened his eyes, and, pointing a long finger to the disturber, said: "You sit down right where you are." He then stand it."

"Wall, I'll try ter do it, honey; try to do it. My ole mouf ain't ez straung ez it uster ter be an' I kain' spit like I could years ago. Doan' git mad wid de ole man. By de way I gained er law suit ter day—got er valu'ble lot dat I thought I had dun lost."

"You don't tell me so?" lown right where you are." He then

—In Utah the Congregationalists have four churches, nine ministers, and 210 members; the Baptists, two churches, two ministers, and 107 members; Catholics, four churches, six priests, and 850 members; Episcopalians, four churches, seven ministers, and 465 members; Mathodists, seven churches, thirteen "You don't tell me so!"
"Yas I does—does honey, shor's yer
born'd. An' lemme tell yer: Dat lot's
wuth fi' hunnud dollers an' its gwine take his attention. Then Charley takes the precious autographs and distributes them by mail to the applicants. Often there are personal applications by the owners of autograph albums, and they are generally directed to leave them with Charley, who presents them at the same time he does the cards for the President's sine manual.—Cincinnati

Times.

wuth fi' hunnud dollers an' its gwine ter be yourn, too."

"Oh, thank you, father," she exclaimed, putting her arms around his neck. "You knew that I did not mean any thing when I pretended to be scolding you, didn't you, father?"

"Cose I did. I didn' pay no 'tention ter whut yer said—know'd yer wuz in fun."

The Interior.

—The youngest Archbishop in the world is Mons. di Rende, Archbishop Benevento, an Apostolic Nuncio in France, who is only thirty-nine years France, who is only thirty-nine years old. Not only is Mons. di Rende the youngest Archbishop, but as Metropolitan he presides over one of the largest ecclesiastical areas in the world, having under his superintendence twelve dioceses, besides his own of Benevento, and an't ez straung as it uster be. Mon-strous cu'is, ain' it?" again spitting on the floor. "Oh, yas, honey, I'se tired o' stayin' in dat dark room an' I blebes as many suffragan Bishops. In this respect the Metropolitan Archbishop of Westminster heads the list with fourteen dioceses and suffragan Bi under his jurisdiction.

WIT AND WISDOM.

-The way to do good is to be good. -There is nothing so sweet as duty. It Started at Nine P. M. and Lasted Until in the wake of duties done .-- Alban Journal.

-"You say you know Sallie Jones?"
"Yes." "Is she homelier than her sister
Mary?" "Yes; there's more of her; she's bigger."

—A doleful crank has prophesied that the earth will collapse like an egg shell in the near future. For all particulars see the Call of that date.—Phil--Whenever you are in doubt about

other side of the fence, anyhow. He retained an impenetrable silence. He which of two things to do, let your decision be for that which is right. could see that her heart was breaking, Do not waver, do not parley, but go squarely up to the mark and do the right thing.—N. Y. Examiner. —An energetic editor, who recently had charge of two local papers at Poic-tiers, France, has just died. He in-sulted himself in one of his journals, not. They didn't cost any thing, and she could get plenty more.
"Can you forgive me?" she sobbed.
"Never," he said, huskily. He had a

and subsequently shot himself in a duel.

—N. Y. Life. —N. Y. Lye.

—Angelina — Augustus, I suppose you think I am only a giddy young school-girl, but I would have you to know that I am fully as old as I look. Augustus—Dear me! I was in hopes you were much younger! — N. Y.

"Because, alas, I knew it not. Oh you were much younger! - N. -Cicero remarks that in order to live long it is necessary to live slowly. Very true, Mr. Cicero. It has often been observed that the people who live rapidly generally go through the world short. —Merchant Traveler.

-Turkey vs. Greece:-From culinary evidence,
Whenever fire becomes intense,
Fowls will their fat release,
But custom yields to exigent;
You can't depend upon precedent;
For Turkey runs from Greec

-Texas Siftings -A New York journal, devoted to the tailoring interests, says 'lawyers are the worst dressers in the world." This assertion is difficult to believe, considering that we frequently read of law-yers winning \$500,000 "suits."—Norrislown Herald.

-If there is any thing that makes a man's conversation erratic and jumbles up his ideas so that he doesn't know s hole in the fence from a chunk of beeswax, it is to have a raw-boned grasshopper climb up the inside of his pants while he is out walking with his best girl.—Burlington Free Press.

Judicious Flattery

Smith-Brown you're fine this morn-

Brown (pleased)-Think so? Smith-I know so. You look as fresh s a daisy. Brown (more pleased)-Yes?

Smith—Yes. You can stay out with the boys and show up in the morning all right. Brown (more than pleased)—Yes, a little thing like that don't affect me

much. I never saw such a man. I say, Brown, can you loan me a fiver?

Brown (with absolute enthusiasm)—
Certainly, my dear boy, certainly,—
N. Z. Sum

Temperance society. The action of the women grew out of the publication in Rattigan's paper of an article in which he referred to the society's members as "towsey-headed, red-nosed female men." He was quite severely injured by the whip-